

February 14, 2008

Ms. Rosa G. Lewis
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Federal Election Commission
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Re: 30 Day Post-Special General Report (7/1/07-12/31/07)
FEC ID No. C00327395

Dear Ms. Lewis:

This is in response to your letter dated February 1, 2008 concerning the 30 Day Post-Special General Report (7/1/07-12/31/07) of Searchlight Leadership Fund (the ""Committee"").

You ask about the Column B figures on the Summary and Detailed Summary Pages. Due to a data entry error, those figures were incorrect. The Committee has amended its report to show the accurate totals.

You also note that the calculation for the Line 8 Column B figure was incorrect. The same data entry error caused this miscalculation and the report has been amended to reflect the correct figures for Column B.

You further ask about expenditures made by the Committee for ""Event Entertainment Services,"" ""Event Entertainment Expense,"" ""Catering,"" ""Catering, Event Expenses & Lodging,"" and ""Event Entertainment Expenses"" on Schedule B. The expenses you cite were made to conduct fundraising for the Committee and none were made on behalf of a specifically identified federal candidate.

Lastly, you have asked about expenditures made by the Committee for ""Printing,"" ""Communications Consulting Services,"" and ""Photography Service"" on Schedule B. The expenses you cite were made to conduct the Committee's own activities and none were for public communications or voter drive activity containing express advocacy.

We hope that this information adequately addresses your questions. If you need any further information, please do not hesitate to contact the Committee.

Very truly yours,

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